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RECLAMATION

Wind River Basin Reservoir Operations

Water Supply Forecasts and Reservoir Operations

Prepared December 2025

End of November Storage: Bull Lake: 36,840 acre-feet

Pilot Butte: 29,495 acre-feet

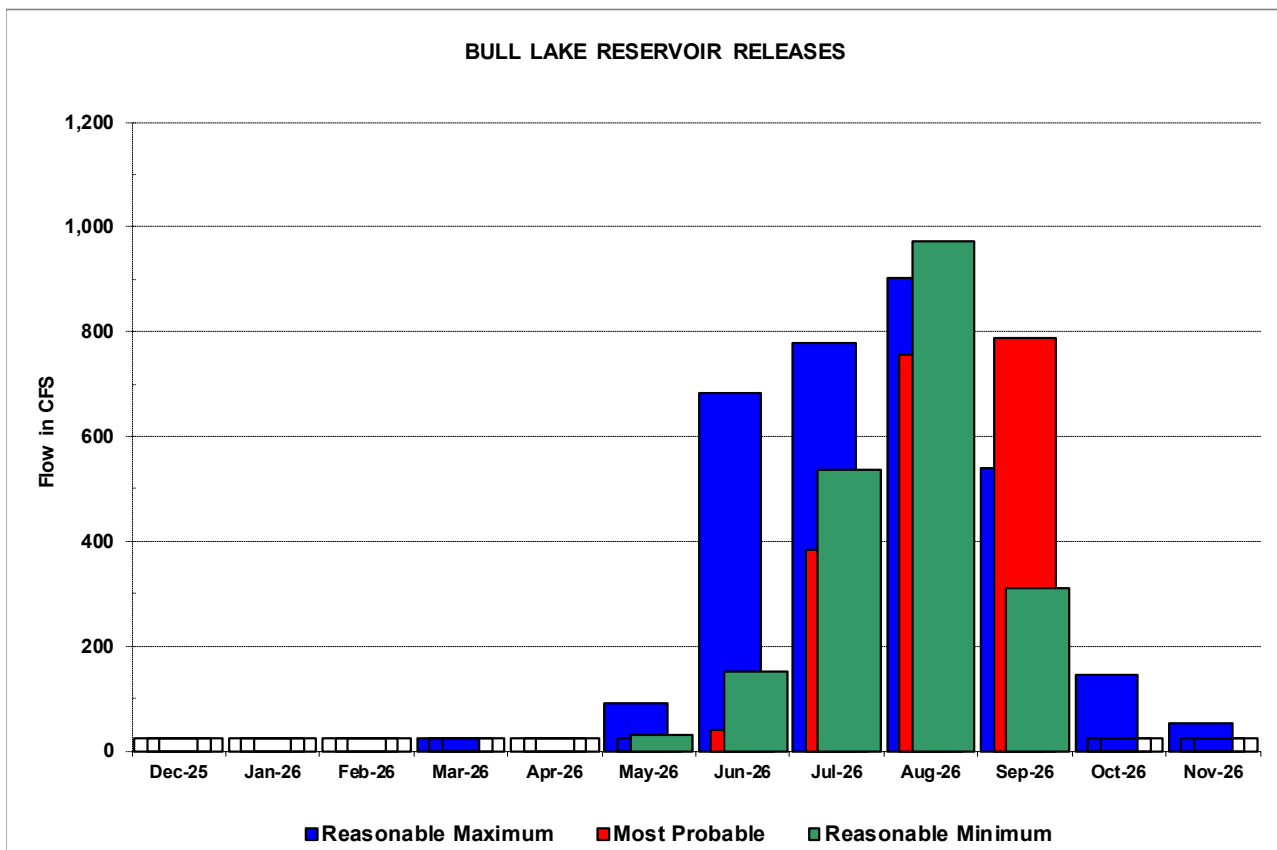
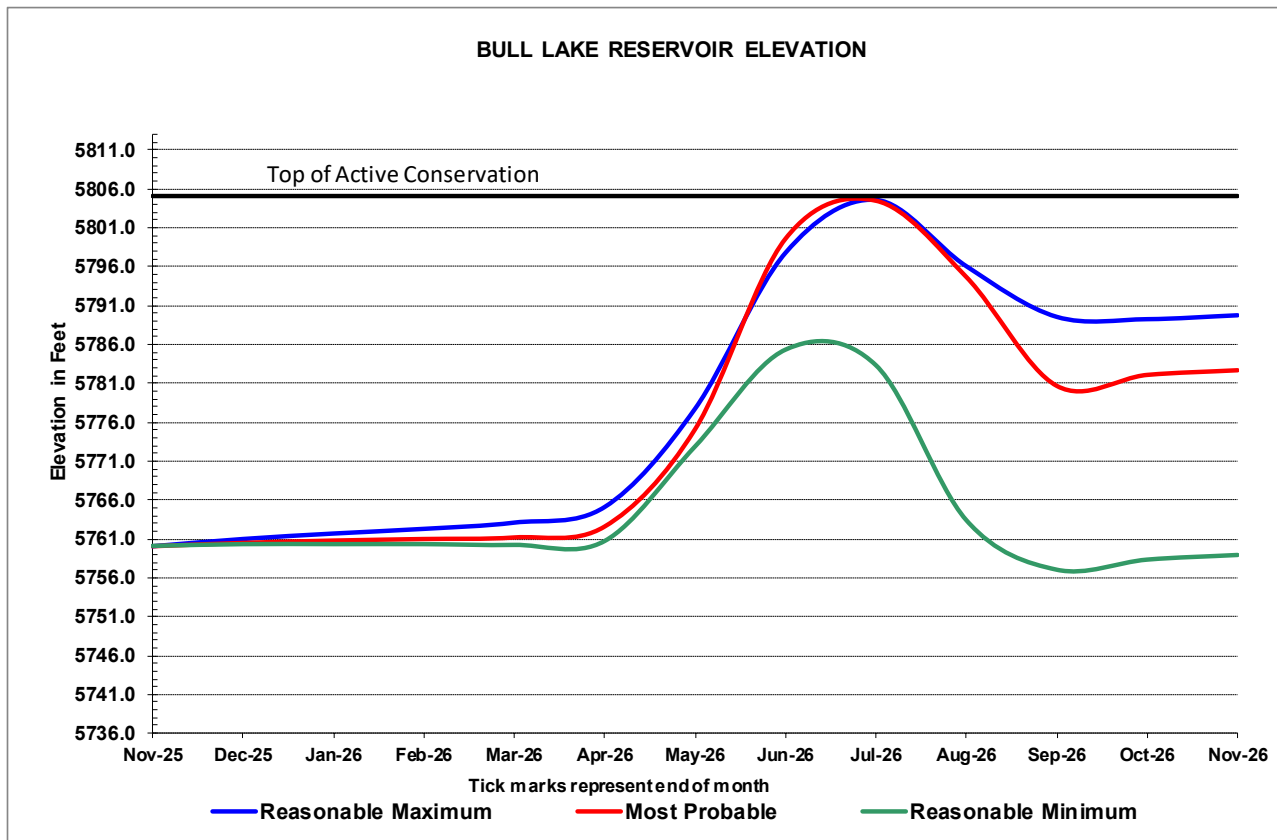
Bull Lake Actual Inflows (1,000 acre-feet):

<u>Month</u>	<u>Inflow</u>	<u>Percent of Normal</u>
November 24	3.0	86
December 24	1.9	77
January 25	1.7	79
February 25	1.9	106
March 25	2.5	122
April 25	5.1	118
May 25	28.2	97
June 25	50.0	74
July 25	20.3	44
August 25	10.1	52
September 25	7.9	83
October 25	6.1	93
November 25	3.7	107

Wind River above Bull Lake Creek Actual Flows (1,000 acre-feet):

<u>Month</u>	<u>Inflow</u>	<u>Percent of Normal</u>
November 24	20.0	76
December 24	19.4	65
January 25	Ice	NA
February 25	Ice	NA
March 25	21.7	99
April 25	24.9	98
May 25	70.3	75
June 25	105.3	51
July 25	53.8	45
August 25	26.8	52
September 25	20.3	57
October 25	37.2	106
November 25	21.8	83

BULL LAKE RESERVOIR



RIVERTON PROJECT OPERATING PLAN
Year Beginning Dec 2025

Bull Lake Reservoir Operations		Initial Content				36.8 Kaf		Operating Limits: Max				151.7 Kaf, 5804.76 Ft.		Total
		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	2.5	2.1	1.7	1.9	4.3	29.1	68.9	38.8	16.7	8.9	5.3	3.0	183.2
Total Dam Release	kaf	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	2.4	23.7	46.6	47.0	1.5	1.5	131.6
Total Dam Release	cfs	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	40.	385.	757.	789.	25.	25.	
Excess Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	21.8	6.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	28.5
End-month Content	kaf	37.8	38.3	38.6	39.0	41.8	69.4	135.9	151.0	121.1	83.1	86.8	88.4	
End-month Elevation	ft	5760.5	5760.8	5761.0	5761.2	5762.6	5775.1	5799.6	5804.5	5794.7	5780.7	5782.1	5782.7	
BLR Net Change	kaf	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.4	2.8	27.6	66.5	15.1	-29.9	-38.1	3.8	1.5	51.6
Wind River		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
Flow abv BL Creek	kaf	21.8	22.3	19.6	18.3	21.3	82.2	189.5	104.8	45.8	28.6	34.2	24.1	612.5
Crowheart Gage Flow	kaf	23.3	23.8	21.0	19.8	22.8	83.7	191.9	128.5	92.4	75.6	35.7	25.6	744.1
Flow Below Div Dam	kaf	23.3	23.8	21.0	19.8	5.7	29.0	127.2	44.0	28.5	18.3	19.1	25.6	385.3
Gain/Return Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	7.4	7.1	7.4	6.1	5.4	0.0	0.0	38.2
Indian Irrigation	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.5	4.5	1.2	0.0	31.3
LeClair/Riverton	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	18.8	24.2	27.2	21.1	15.0	5.0	0.0	114.8
LeC/Riv Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Riverton Gage Flow	cfs	379.5	387.7	377.9	322.6	86.8	186.5	1750.6	293.1	129.5	70.0	209.9	430.0	
Wyoming Canal		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
Total Diversion	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.1	54.7	64.7	84.5	63.9	57.3	16.6	0.0	358.8
North Canal Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	26.4	31.2	40.1	36.1	27.0	3.4	0.0	174.0
North Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Butte Reservoir Operations		Initial Content				29.5 Kaf		Operating Limits: Max				29.9 Kaf, 5459.98 Ft.		Total
		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
Reservoir Inflow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	28.3	33.5	44.4	27.8	30.3	13.2	0.0	184.8
Power Generated	mwh	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Canal Release	kaf	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	28.0	33.1	43.9	37.4	33.0	0.0	0.0	183.5
Pilot Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf	28.0	27.9	27.8	27.6	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	18.0	15.0	28.0	27.8	
PBR Net Change	kaf	-1.5	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	-0.0	0.0	0.0	-10.0	-3.0	13.0	-0.2	-1.7
End-month Elevation	ft	5457.8	5457.7	5457.6	5457.4	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5445.5	5441.3	5457.8	5457.6	

RIVERTON PROJECT OPERATING PLAN
Year Beginning Dec 2025

Bull Lake Reservoir Operations		Initial Content		36.8 Kaf		Operating Limits: Max		151.7 Kaf, 5804.76 Ft.		Min		25.0 Kaf, 5753.75 Ft.		Total
		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
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Reservoir Inflow	kaf	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.4	2.3	28.1	40.1	27.7	13.3	5.9	4.0	2.6	130.4
Total Dam Release	kaf	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.9	9.0	32.9	59.9	18.4	1.5	1.5	132.7
Total Dam Release	cfs	25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	31.	152.	535.	974.	310.	25.	25.	
Excess Release	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.9	0.0	0.0	16.9
End-month Content	kaf	37.3	37.3	37.3	37.2	38.0	64.2	95.3	90.1	43.5	31.0	33.4	34.5	
End-month Elevation	ft	5760.3	5760.3	5760.3	5760.2	5760.7	5772.9	5785.4	5783.4	5763.4	5757.0	5758.3	5758.9	
BLR Net Change	kaf	0.5	0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.8	26.2	31.1	-5.2	-46.6	-12.5	2.5	1.1	-2.3
Wind River		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
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Flow abv BL Creek	kaf	19.0	20.4	23.1	16.4	20.5	61.8	89.7	66.3	37.0	28.0	26.0	20.3	428.5
Crowheart Gage Flow	kaf	20.5	21.9	24.5	17.9	22.0	63.7	98.7	99.2	96.9	46.4	27.5	21.8	561.2
Flow Below Div Dam	kaf	20.5	21.9	24.5	17.9	4.9	21.9	27.2	30.3	24.8	37.6	12.3	21.8	265.7
Gain/Return Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	7.4	7.1	7.4	6.1	5.4	0.0	0.0	38.2
Indian Irrigation	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.5	2.7	1.2	0.0	29.5
LeClair/Riverton	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	18.8	24.2	27.2	21.1	15.0	5.0	0.0	114.8
LeC/Riv Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Riverton Gage Flow	cfs	334.0	356.8	440.9	291.7	73.3	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	425.3	99.3	366.2	
Wyoming Canal		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
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Total Diversion	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.1	41.8	71.6	68.9	72.1	8.8	15.2	0.0	295.5
North Canal Flow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	26.4	31.2	36.5	34.3	2.2	0.0	0.0	140.4
North Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Butte Reservoir Operations		Initial Content		29.5 Kaf		Operating Limits: Max		29.9 Kaf, 5459.98 Ft.		Min		2.0 Kaf, 5416.44 Ft.		Total
		Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
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Reservoir Inflow	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	15.4	40.4	32.4	37.8	6.6	15.2	0.0	155.1
Power Generated	mwh	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Canal Release	kaf	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	28.0	33.1	43.9	37.4	3.3	0.0	0.0	153.8
Pilot Canal Shortage	kaf	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf	28.0	27.9	27.8	27.6	28.0	15.1	22.0	10.0	10.0	13.0	28.0	27.8	
PBR Net Change	kaf	-1.5	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	-12.9	6.9	-12.0	0.0	3.0	15.0	-0.2	-1.7
End-month Elevation	ft	5457.8	5457.7	5457.6	5457.4	5457.8	5441.5	5450.7	5433.5	5433.5	5438.3	5457.8	5457.6	

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Bull Lake Reservoir Operations			Initial Content				36.8 Kaf		Operating Limits: Max			151.1 Kaf, 5804.57 Ft.			
-----									Min			25.0 Kaf, 5753.75 Ft.			
			Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
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Reservoir Inflow	kaf		3.4	3.0	2.5	3.1	5.6	34.3	95.0	68.8	29.4	13.6	8.0	4.5	271.2
Total Dam Release	kaf		1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	5.5	40.7	47.8	55.4	32.2	8.8	3.0	200.9
Total Dam Release	cfs		25.	25.	25.	25.	25.	90.	684.	777.	901.	541.	144.	51.	
Excess Release	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	38.0	17.1	0.1	30.7	7.3	1.5	94.6
End-month Content	kaf		38.7	40.1	41.2	42.8	46.9	75.7	130.0	151.0	125.0	106.4	105.6	107.1	
End-month Elevation	ft		5761.0	5761.7	5762.3	5763.1	5765.1	5777.7	5797.7	5804.5	5796.0	5789.5	5789.2	5789.7	
BLR Net Change	kaf		1.9	1.5	1.1	1.6	4.1	28.8	54.3	21.0	-26.0	-18.6	-0.8	1.5	70.3
Wind River			Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
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Flow abv BL Creek	kaf		43.5	31.7	20.5	27.5	27.9	145.3	366.8	217.1	77.4	50.6	37.1	32.5	1077.9
Crowheart Gage Flow	kaf		45.0	33.2	21.9	29.0	29.4	150.8	407.5	264.9	132.8	82.8	45.9	35.5	1278.8
Flow Below Div Dam	kaf		45.0	33.2	21.9	29.0	12.3	96.1	342.8	184.0	74.1	55.2	29.3	35.5	958.5
Gain/Return Flow	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	7.4	7.1	7.4	6.1	5.4	0.0	0.0	38.2
Indian Irrigation	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	6.1	6.0	6.1	5.5	4.5	1.2	0.0	31.3
LeClair/Riverton	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	18.8	24.2	27.2	21.1	15.0	5.0	0.0	114.8
LeC/Riv Shortage	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Riverton Gage Flow	cfs		732.5	540.6	394.1	472.2	197.7	1277.7	5373.9	2570.1	871.9	690.0	375.7	597.2	
Wyoming Canal			Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
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Total Diversion	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.1	54.7	64.7	80.9	58.7	27.6	16.6	0.0	320.3
North Canal Flow	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.8	26.4	31.2	36.5	30.9	27.0	3.4	0.0	165.2
North Canal Shortage	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Butte Reservoir Operations			Initial Content				29.5 Kaf		Operating Limits: Max			29.9 Kaf, 5459.98 Ft.			
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			Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Total
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Reservoir Inflow	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	7.3	28.3	33.5	44.4	27.8	0.6	13.2	0.0	155.1
Power Generated	mwh		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Pilot Canal Release	kaf		1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	28.0	33.1	43.9	37.4	3.3	0.0	0.0	153.8
Pilot Canal Shortage	kaf		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
End-month Content	kaf		28.0	27.9	27.8	27.6	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	18.0	15.0	28.0	27.8	
PBR Net Change	kaf		-1.5	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2	0.4	-0.0	0.0	0.0	-10.0	-3.0	13.0	-0.2	-1.7
End-month Elevation	ft		5457.8	5457.7	5457.6	5457.4	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5457.8	5445.5	5441.3	5457.8	5457.6	